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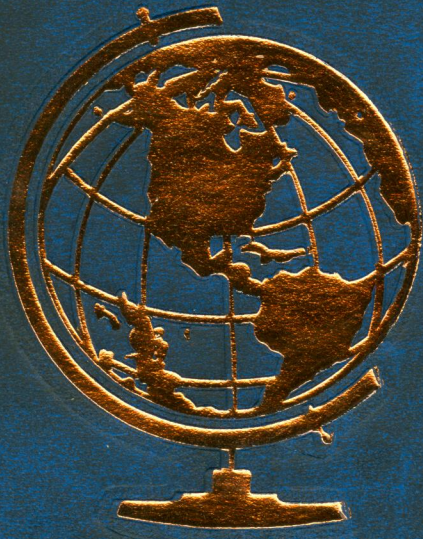


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"Women who are going places start at Hollins!" Who hasn't heard that one? It's so true!

Whether it's going to class, going up Tinker Mountain, or going off into the world to write the Great American Novel, we're always going somewhere.

People ask "Why did you choose an all-women's college?" Each one of us has a different, unique answer, just as each one of us is a unique, beautiful individual.

Hollins is just another step in our lives. Some of us just started, others are leaving and approaching the next milestone. We're all going somewhere, though we don't know where for sure. That's alright! Every hour, every day, every year that goes by, we will always remember the great times at Hollins.



Lorrie Grace McCann



Lorrie Grace McCann

STEPPING STONES

to our

MILESTONES

First there was kindergarten, then middle school, and high school, then came Hollins University. Convocation, Tinker Day, Holiday Tea, White Gift Service, Ring Night, The Rock, Founder's Day, Hundredth Night, Cotillion, and Commencement – these are only some of the traditions at Hollins, as we know.

Despite the loads of homework, studying, extracurricular activities, and let's not forget the d-r-a-m-a, we always manage to make it through, and are probably

stronger in the end.

Mary Beth Hatten, Hollins class of 1971, wrote "Fun has always been a part of learning." So the question remains – would Hollins be so much fun without the traditions? Possibly. But what would we do without them? The traditions link us with the history of the university, the past. They create unity among each and every one of us – and each and every one of us is unique. Hollins wouldn't be the same without that.

Tinker Day

Lots of stepping stones to this huge milestone...

It's 6:30 am, one crisp October morning. There is a knock and cheerful voices at the door. Still exhausted, you go to the door to find your RA and other residents all extremely excited to tell you, 'IT'S TINKER DAY!'

One of the most celebrated traditions of Hollins, Tinker Day gives students a day off from classes and the chance to wear the craziest outfits imaginable and then voluntarily climb up a mountain. Hollins girls gather together in the dining hall in their PJ's for Krispie Kreme doughnuts and sing-

ing. Everyone then convened on front quad in their Tinker outfits, where President Bell gave her first speech declaring it Tinker Day! Then came the hike and singing around Senior Rock, where the senior class stood proudly looking upwards at the faces of the underclassmen on the slope. Tinker chicken and cake served by the seniors, skits performed by each class, and memories showed how Tinker Day will always be fondly revered by Hollins women.



Left: Members of the senior class, including Maggie Daniels and Jacqueline Whitt, sing their last song to their sister classes.

Below: Carly Blumburg ('05) bats her eyes for the camera.



Above Right: Our Hollins Viking, otherwise known as Jennifer Lee ('03), chats with Shara Shaunsaucie ('03).

Above: Tyree Patterson, Sophomore Class president, puts her vocal talents to work.

Right: Casey Hollins ('03) loads up a plate with fried chicken to deliver to the underclass(wo)men.



Left: We experience the once-in-a-lifetime event of seeing biology professor Dr. Wilson's more, um, feminine side during the faculty skits.

Above: Jacqueline Kennedy ('03) listens to the songs to the seniors from their adoring sister class.

...Tinker Day

Below: Erin Adams ('06) takes a lap around the "stage" after being winning the "Best Costume" Award.



Left: What a great Hollins moment! Good friends, good weather, a beautiful setting -- does it get any better than this?

Below: Amanda Scott ('05), Elise Branch ('04), and Melissa Whitaker ('04) join their class in song.



Above: President Bell, wearing her pink prom dress (a gift from the alumnae), declares it Tinker Day!

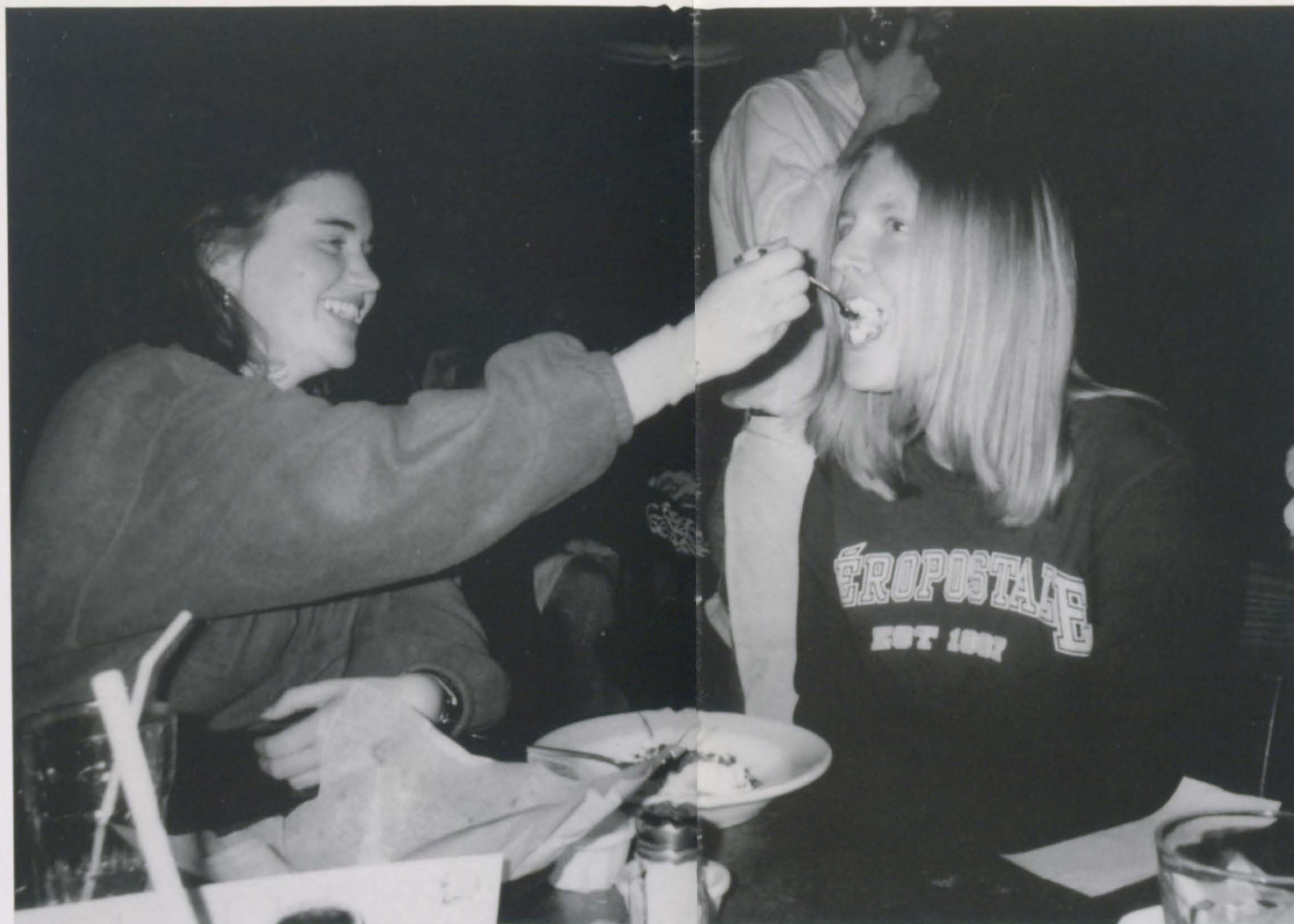
Right: Amanda Aasheim and Kristina Partlow ('04) dance a jig during the junior class skit.

Left: Emily Sullivan ('06) dances for the crowd during the freshmen skit.

Above: Gwen Fernandez ('06), Becca Staed ('06), and Elizabeth Gleim ('06) experience their first Tinker Day.

Have some! (right) First year Meghan Morse shares a special treat with Nicole Jupp one night at the Wild Flour.

Fun in the Sun (below) It is always good to take a little time out of your busy day to relax or play on front quad in the spring. And if you have a puppy it might be even better!



Check It Out

What Hollins girls do without boys.

Who says that Hollins girls need guys around to have fun? As evident by the photographs, we don't need the opposite sex to have a good time. That's of course not to say that some of us don't enjoy their company, but in case you hadn't noticed it's hard to find a guy on this campus! Damn near impossible, and that's the way it should be.

The majority of us can find our way off campus and to the guys if we must, but others simply choose not to. Some students find everything they need right here. Needless to say, social events certainly don't need guys. Most of the time it's more fun to hang out in your scrubbiest clothes and just kick back with your girls, a bowl of popcorn, Papa John, and "Sex and the City."

There are days when solitude can be a Hollins girl's best friend. Whether you're in the library, the porch of Main or in your dorm room, at times it's just nice to spend a little time with yourself.

There are also places to go off campus when one feels a little jaded. Roanoke obviously isn't New York City, but it's not exactly Nowhere, USA either. If you love movies you can hit the ValleyView Grande or the Grandin theaters, if you love spending money Target, Walmart and ValleyView Mall can solve that. And of course if you ever tire of Moody food (who doesn't?) head to the Wildflour! It's right next door.



Let it Snow (above) Sophomore Sarah Harpe takes a ride in the snow down the hill behind Tinker in January.

Social Tinker (right) Alice Rainka, HollyAnn Wilberger, Mariana Denke, Melissa James, Debrissa McKinney, Carly Blumberg and April May Woods do Karaoke Night in the first floor social room of Tinker.



Jus' Chillin' (left) Students relax and read on the front porch of Main. It has been said that you will immediately fall in love with Hollins, if you haven't already, when you sit in the rocking chairs.

Ooh, pretty! (above) First year Alexis Webster views a photograph display in the gallery of the art annex.

Right: The "Shag" group takes their final bow during their Saturday night skit.

Below: Arrrrgggg! Melissa Whitaker ('04) does her best Aladdin imitation for the camera.



Above: The Three Muskateers: Michelle Campaggio ('04), Leslie Christopherson ('04), and Amanda Wilson ('04). "One for all and all for one!"

Right: Mary Alston Geddie ('04) performs in the "Shag" skit.



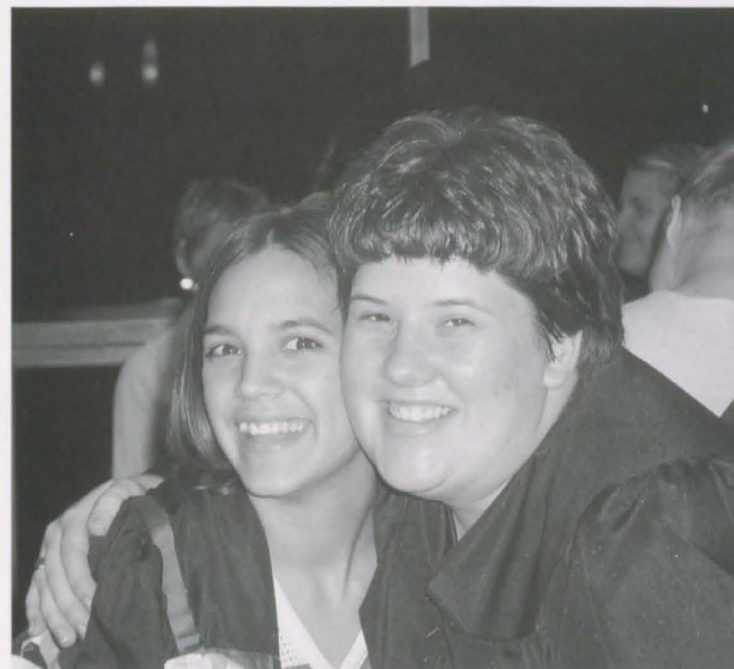
Steppingstones
to get that
ring!

Ring Night

By Heather Kent

To most outsiders, 72 hours of slaving away, spending money, and inventing skits and costumes in 2.5 seconds all in the name of a class ring doesn't sound like a great way to spend the weekend, but Hollins girls will beg to differ. During this uniquely Hollins tradition, juniors group together and are secretly paired up with senior sisters who draw up a list of demands required of the juniors during the 3 days and nights they are under the seniors' command. Most of the demands consist of taking pictures,

bringing food, performing various skits, making crafts, and writing posters or letters of appreciation to Hollins faculty and staff. Although the senior sisters don't reveal their identity to the juniors until the final night, the event is a bonding experience for the two classes as well as among the group members. The event is wrapped up on the third night with a series of final skits, after which seniors give their sisters huge baskets filled with gifts, their ring, and fond memories of their weekend.



Top Left: Sisterly love -- Jacqueline Whitt ('03) and Ana Maloch ('04).

Above: Jane Stanley ('03) knits frantically as the skits begin.

Left: The Varisty Blues group gets down to business.

...Ring Night

Right: The baskets keep getting bigger every year!

Below: Juniors Elizabeth Barron, Anne Snoddy, Mimi Hickerson, and Sarah Flynn Fletcher communicate in mime.

Bottom: Rock star, uh, I mean, Leah Gardner ('03) performs a solo.



Below: The ER doctors stress out about one of their patients accidentally dies...oops!



Right: Jenny Schworm gets some air as a character from The Lord of the Rings.



Above: Keeli Scott ('04) demonstrates her kick in "Wet, Hot Summer".

Left: Katie Davis ('03) speaks very earnestly about lubrication as a car mechanic.

Founder's Day

The Inauguration of President Nora Kizer Bell

Founder's Day has always been a day of celebration. Classes are cancelled after 4:00 and all the seniors make their procession up to the Hollins Cemetery to pay tribute to the Founder of Hollins, Charles Lewis Cocke. They come back to the chapel where they are greeted by their sister class, who give them daisies. The seniors then make their procession through the chapel and take their seats for the convocation.

However, this year was a little different and even more momentous. On Founder's Day, Nora Kizer Bell was inaugurated as the 10th president of Hollins University.

Classes were cancelled for the entire day in celebration. Each department gave presentations to show off the intelligence and talent held by the Hollins faculty and students. The History department gave a reenactment of the Salem Witch Trials, the Dance department gave performances, and the Science departments displayed posters of student research projects. At the Convocation, Dr. Bell's family, colleagues, and friends gave praise and adulation for Dr. Bell. Anna Logan Lawson ('65) chair of the Board Of Trustees, presented Dr. Bell with the Hollins Medallion, and officially named her the new president.

Distinguished speaker, Former Attorney General Janet Reno, was present to give the members of the community inspiring words on the immense benefits of women's colleges, as well as encouraging words to Dr. Bell as she takes on this new challenge.

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President Bell (left) in regalia and (above) receives her medallion from husband David Bell and Anna Logan Lawson, '65, chair of the board of trustees.



Hollins faculty (right) process from Main to the chapel along front quad in their regalia for the inauguration ceremony.

Senior Class President Emily Schiller (below) reads at the cemetery before the seniors' procession down to the chapel.



President Nora Kizer Bell (above) with her father John Kizer.

Former U.S. Attorney General Janet Reno (left) spoke at the inaugural ceremony and spent some time meeting and speaking to students.



SHARE Olympiad

Right: Share Co-Chair, Casey Hollins ('03) presents a check for \$500 to the RAM House

Below right: Jaki Ana('05) stuffs another marshmallow in her mouth in the Chubby Bunny contest

Below: Joseph Ametepe has figured out the trick to the Chubby Bunny



Right : Casey Hollins ('03) explains the rules of the next event.



Below: Joseph Ametepe, Diane Galinaitis, Morgan Wilson, Rayanne Kahil, Rebecca Beach, Jessica Hernandez-Guzman, and Meghna Das Thakur

Where can you see one of your favorite professors stuff marshmallows in his mouth? How about running a three legged race with the same person who grades your papers? It's the Share Olympiad of course!

The Share Olympiad is an annual field day where students team up with their favorite faculty and staff members for an afternoon of fun. Each team donates a minimum of \$10 that is then given to the RAM House soup

kitchen of Roanoke.

Share decided on contests and field events for each team to participate in. Dizzy Bat, Tug-of-War, and shoe scramble were just a few of the fun and hilarious events that professors participated in with Students.

Each team walked away a winner with door prizes and medals. However, the big winner of the Share Olympiad was the RAM House, who received \$500 from this event.



Above: Share Co-Chair, Alisha Tucker ('04) prepares the pile for the shoe scramble

Left: Dr. Beach, Taylor Cook, Professor Fleck and Tracee Grossman pull as hard as they can in the Tug-of-War.

Right: Hollins girls dance the night away!

Below: Tara Smith ('04), GeLynn Thompson ('05), Alice Rainka ('06), and Kismet Loftin-Bell ('03) get into the Electric Slide.



Above: The floor clears to watch Joy Sparrowhawk ('04) and friend.

Right: Sophomore dancers Jenn McGinn, Ellen Philpott, Kathryn McKellar, and Alysha Wood wow the crowd with their beautiful dance moves.



Cotillion

Dancing the Night Away

Cotillion is an annual formal event that was originated as a female-only dance in 1898. Over the years, it has become a weekend long event, full of parties, concerts, and the dance itself.

Cotillion was held on the weekend of April 27th and 28th. Friday night was a Casino night. Blackjack and Roulette tables filled Moody Hall while students tried to win big. Artists drew fun charactures of students. Music was played while the dance floor was filled with Hollins girls and their guests. The Pre-Cotillion parties continued all over campus.

The next evening, hollins girls dressed up in their finest and climbed into the shuttles to the historic Hotel Roanoke. Students and their dates walked into the large ballroom, where the music was blaring and their friends were dancing up a storm. Finger foods and drinks were served as Hollins girls laughed and had a great time.

It was such a great party, that even a group of high school kids tried to sneak in after their party was over!!

Fond memories were made at Cotillion, as friends dressed up and had fun together.



Left: Juniors Maggie Henderson and Hadley Meares relax on the stage, with others give their requests to the band.

Above: A group of mostly dancers pauses for a picture before heading to the ballroom: Amy Torbert ('05), Ellen Philpott ('05), Kathryn McKellar ('05), Danielle Paloumpis ('05), Becca Hamil ('05), Alysha Wood ('05), a date, Tosha Tillman ('04), Ashley Anderson ('06), Meredith Glisson ('05), and Jenn McGinn ('05).

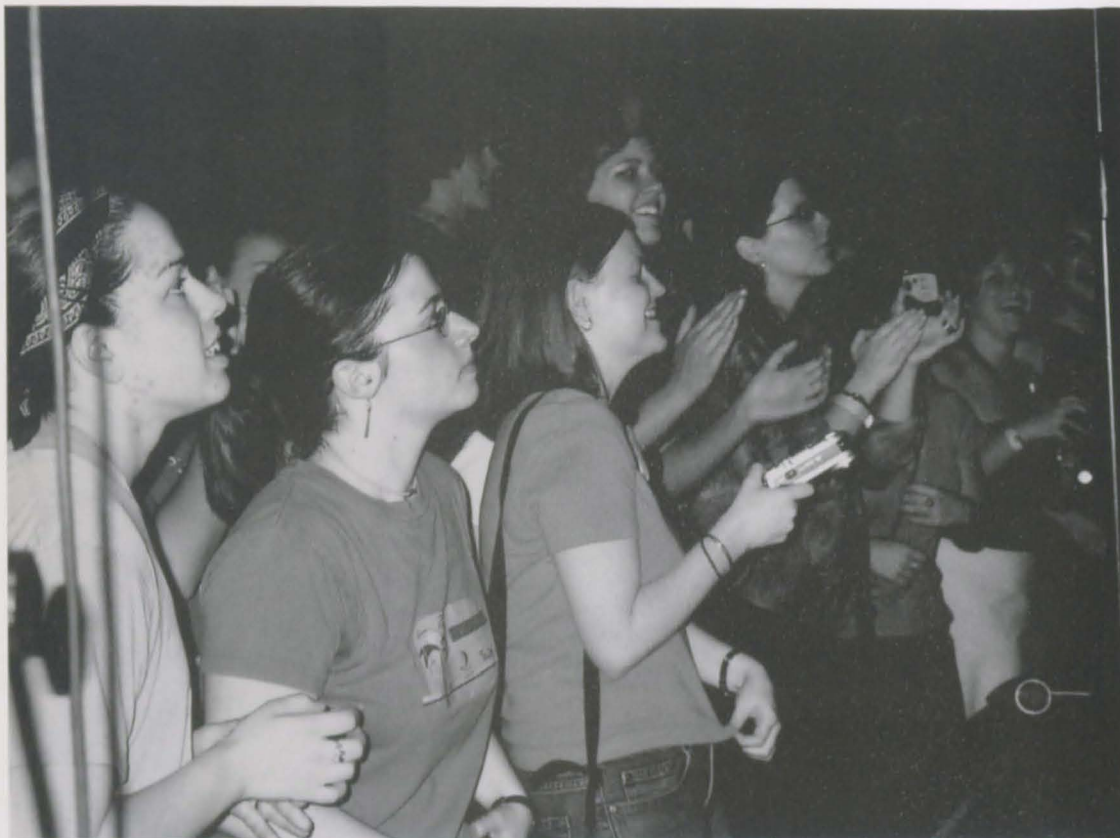
Mayfest

Carbon Leaf and Carnivals!

Right: Hollins Students listen to the music of Carbon Leaf

Below right: The Carnival was complete with jousting!

Below: Nicole Oxendine and Virginia Callegary ('03) have some fun at the show!



Mayfest is an annual event during the first weekend of May that acts as an end of year celebration.

The day started with a carnival to help raise money for the Hollins Habitat for Humanity organization. The fun events included jousting, face-painting, and a duck-pluck. Hollins students were also able to bounce around in a giant moon room, which was a popular attraction.

The evening continued with concerts as well. Headlin-

ing the show was Hollins favorite, Carbon Leaf, who recently won an American Music Award. The show was packed as students danced and sang along with the popular band. Visitors came from all over to hear the band as well as hang out with Hollins students.

Hollins girls were then able to meet and get pictures with the members of Carbon Leaf after the show. The parties lasted well into the night and Mayfest was a successful event.



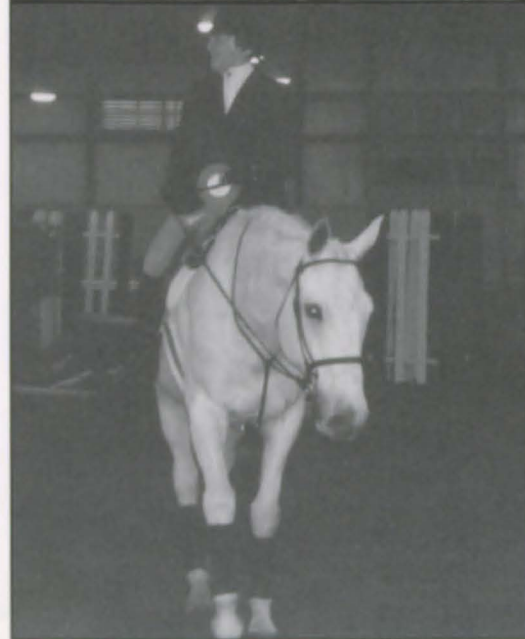
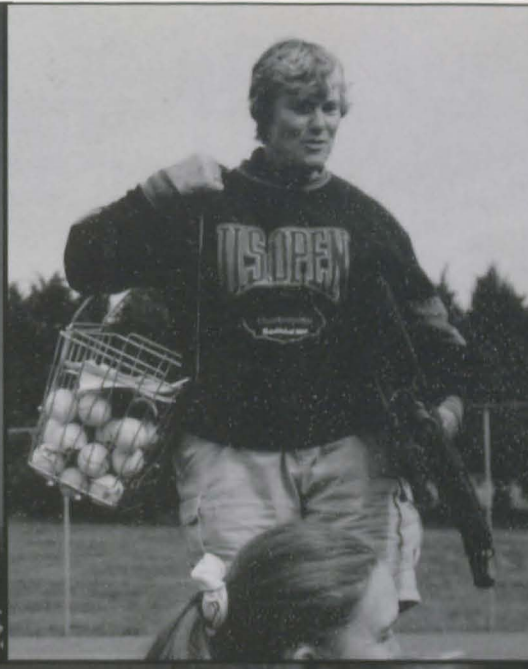
Right : Kyrie Henderson fills a pool with Rubber Duckies for the Duck-Pluck

Below: Sharon Bonham gets her face painted at the Carnival.



Above: Carbon Leaf singer Barry Privett serenades the audience

Left: Students and guests watch Carbon Leaf perform



Graduation 2003

May 24, 2003. The day that the class of 2003 has been waiting for. After four years, they graduated from Hollins University with the degrees they worked so hard for. In front of their families and friends, Seniors marched proudly across front quad for the final time.

Dr. Nora Bell gave words of welcome and congratulations for the achievements of the class of 2003.

The Commencement

Speaker nominated by the senior class was Pat Mitchell, President and Chief Executive of the Public Broadcasting Service. As the first female president of PBS, Pat Mitchell gave an inspiring speech about how women have become so empowered and successful.

As Wayne Markert read their names, seniors walked across the stage and were their diplomas and congratulations by Dr. Bell



Left: The Class of 2003 with their new diplomas!

Below: Leah Ann Plaisance grins proudly as she is declared a graduate of Hollins!



Top right: Pat Mitchell speaks to the class of 2003
Above: Graduates waiting for the rest of their classmates.

Right: During the faculty procession, seniors watch as their favorite professors are seated.



Above: Rachel Craig smiles at her family in the audience.

Left: Graduates find their seats as the procession begins.



FIRST STEPS

in achieving our

MILESTONES

The quote "a journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step" is applicable to a number of events, not the least of which is sports. Whether that first step be the step on the volleyball court for your first practice, the step into the riding ring for your first horse show ever, or the step onto the field hockey field for the championship game, these "first steps" are very important. Steps such as these, and the work that goes on behind the scenes to make them possible, are what sports at Hollins are about. Through all of the hard work and suffering of prac-

tice, to the thrill of winning or the disappointment of losing, the sports teams at Hollins have worked hard to make the 2002-2003 year a good one. This seemed to be a rebuilding year for a number of teams, due either to the loss of seniors from last year or the addition of a new coach, and all the teams have not only made it through the process of rebuilding, but completed it successfully and with style. So whether you're taking that first step onto the court for your first practice ever or for the final game of the season your senior year, enjoy every step!



Left: Junior Irene Farrow starts to make a move to be open to receive a pass. **Above:** Chelsea Allen ('06) plays tough defense in order to get the ball away from the opposing Roanoke player. **Below Left:** Savon Shelton ('04) prepares to take a shot on goal. Will she score? **Below Right:** Co-Captain Kristina Partlow ('04) winds up to drive the ball solidly downfield.



“This season was definitely about team building. But even through adversity, we rose to the challenge. Expect great things from Hollins hockey in the future!”

- Kristina Partlow ('04)



Team Roster

Chelsea Allen ('06)	Clara Lemyre ('06)
Sally Beazlie ('04)**	Rosalina Leoncio ('04)
Betsy Coe ('03)	Kristina Partlow ('04)**
Rachel Dauw ('03)	Savon Shelton ('04)
Irene Farrow ('06)	Eileen Struble ('06)
Mary Bryan Haltermann ('06)	Virginia Wintermeyer ('05)
Courtney Legum ('03)	Kir Witherspoon ('04)

Coach: Sarah Copplestone
**Team Captains



Above: Freshman Clara Lemyre considers her next move while running down the field.

Scoreboard

Opponent	Score
Lynchburg	L, 15-0
Roanoke	L, 14-0
Sweet Briar	L, 13-0
Washington & Lee	L, 16-0
Mary Baldwin	L, 7-0
Sweet Briar	L, 13-0
RMWC	L, 7-0
Randolph Macon	L, 12-0
Mary Baldwin	L, 4-0
Eastern Mennonite	L, 18-0
Bridgewater	L, 14-0
Virginia Wesleyan	L, 9-0
RMWC	L, 10-0

Below: With an amazing lunge, Kir Witherspoon ('04) stops the ball in front of the Hollins goal.



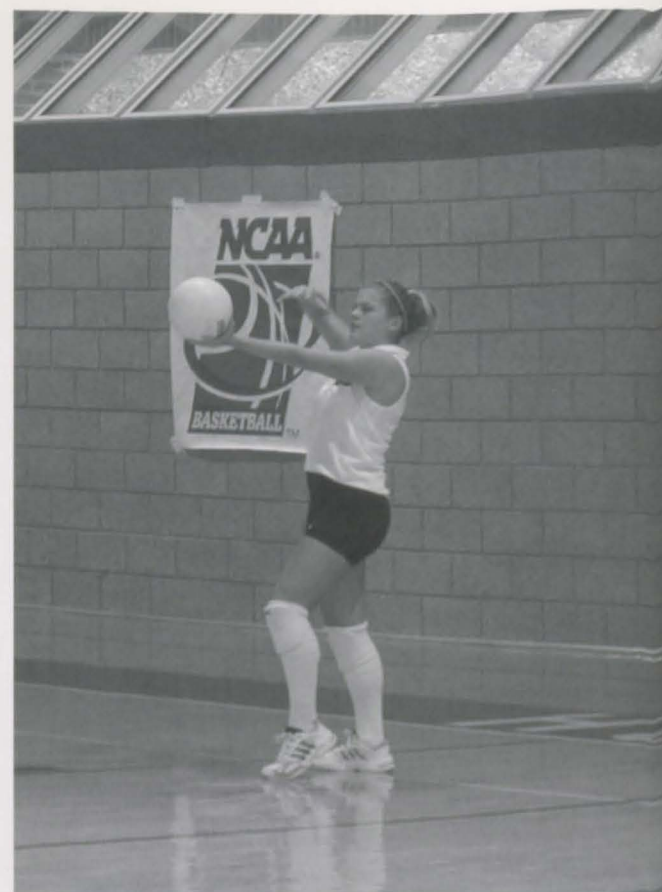
Volleyball

Team Roster

Natalia Alfonso ('06)	DaWanna Moore ('03)
Kelley Britz ('03)	Jamie Rostan ('05)
Rebekah Cocke ('06)	Emily Schiller ('03)
Mary Alston Geddie ('04)	Jennifer St. Clair ('04)**
Lexa Hough ('06)	Danika Waters ('03)**
Kimberly Kopocis ('06)	Elizabeth Wyche ('06)

Coach: Kim Martinez
**Team Captains

Below: Jamie Rostan ('05) prepares herself to return whatever may come from the opposing team.



Above: Senior Emily Schiller prepares to serve an ace!

Scoreboard

Opponent	Score
Averett	W, 3-1
Mary Baldwin	W, 2-0
Hood	W, 7-1
Bridgewater	L, 8-0
Eastern Mennonite	L, 9-0
Guilford	L, 14-0
Washington & Lee	L, 12-0
Lynchburg	L, 9-0
Peace	L, 2-0
Meredith	L, 11-0
RMWC	L, 10-1
Ferrum	W, 8-2
Sweet Briar	W, 3-2
Virginia Wesleyan	L, 8-0
Randolph Macon	L, 5-1
Shenandoah	W, 4-3
Roanoke	L, 7-0
Emory & Henry	L, 3-2



Left: Rebekah Cocke ('06) makes a leap for the ball as she prepares to spike it over the net. **Above:** Despite the opposing team's strong defense, the players manage to spike the ball over the net. **Below Left:** A UFHUV (that would be an Unidentified Flying Hollins University Volleyball Player) flies through the air on her way to making contact with the ball.



"All we gotta have is pride" was one of the cheers of the Hollins volleyball team during the 2002 season. With twelve girls playing a long, tough season with many memorable moments. Coach Martinez was joined this year by Assistant Coach Betsy Boardwine to motivate and teach HUVB how to come out swinging in each game. New and old players alike showed tremendous improvement during the season from late August until the Women's Tournament in Atlanta in early November.

Hollins team members distinguished themselves with their individual play. Co-captain Danika Waters earned All-Tournament Team honors in competitions at Christopher Newport, Bridgewater, Salisbury, and the Women's Tournament. Jen St. Clair, the other co-captain, also garnered All-Tournament recognition at the Women's Tournament. The team also did activities such as sponsoring a clinic that provided high school and middle school girls with a chance to learn about the sport. Although the team struggled with injuries and illness, all the players had time to show off their talent on the court, and overall, the team has played with heart and ended as friends.

-- Emily Schiller ('03)



Above: Freshman Ashley Fitzgerald plays tight defense on an opposing player.



Team Roster

Erin Adams ('06)	Erika Langsjoen ('06)
Michelle Bradley ('03)	Lindsay Lucas ('06)
April Cassell ('05)	Sarah Miller ('04)
Rebecca Donat ('06)	Blair Pendleton ('03)**
Emily Fielder ('05)	Hannah Phillips ('05)
Ashley Fitzgerald ('06)	Sherrie Slocomb ('03)**
Lauren Hancock ('06)	Allison Sokoloski ('06)
Sara Beth Higgins ('03)**	Holly Wilberger ('06)
Christine Jehu ('06)	

Coach: Esteban Martinez
**Team Captains

Below: One of the top defensive players, Sarah Beth Higgins ('03), gives the ball a mighty kick to send it downfield.



Left: Team Co-Captain and star goalie Sherrie Slocomb ('03) clears the ball away from the Hollins goal. **Above:** Sarah Miller ('04) won't let anyone -- including the other players -- get in her way of getting the ball. **Below Left:** Emily Fielder ('05) pushes through the defense of two Roanoke players on her way to score. **Below Right:** April Cassell ('05) kicks the ball up field to the forward line. April was one of the strongest defenders this year.



"At the end of the season, it was comforting to know that I had a built-in family at Hollins through my friends on the soccer team. It was great knowing that the great friendships I made on the field were going to last!"
- Rebecca Donat ('06)

Scoreboard	
Opponent	Score
Averett	W, 3-1
Mary Baldwin	W, 2-0
Hood	W, 7-1
Bridgewater	L, 8-0
Eastern Mennonite	L, 9-0
Guilford	L, 14-0
Washington & Lee	L, 12-0
Lynchburg	L, 9-0
Peace	L, 2-0
Meredith	L, 11-0
RMWC	L, 10-1
Ferrum	W, 8-2
Sweet Briar	W, 3-2
Virginia Wesleyan	L, 8-0
Randolph Macon	L, 5-1
Shenandoah	W, 4-3
Roanoke	L, 7-0
Emory & Henry	L, 3-2



Left: Despite the heavy defense, Cody Wilmer ('06) steps up to sink a three pointer. **Above:** Brandi Cochran ('03) makes a fast break for the basket with Katie Parnell ('03) and Emily Ferrell ('03) beside her for back-up. **Below Left:** The team gathers around Coach Harvey to talk strategy at halftime. **Below Right:** A closely guarded Brandi Cochran ('03) begins to execute a play. Brandi was the top scorer on the team this year, and was chosen as the ODAC Player of the Week for two weeks in a row!



Courtesy of Hollins Athletics

Basketball

Team Roster

Jennifer Carpenter ('04)	Jennapher Turner ('05)
Brandi Cochran ('05)	Neta VanZwaren ('06)
Emily Ferrell ('04)**	Coby Wilmer ('06)
Kahla Garriss ('05)	Chrishawn Wagoner ('06)
Ashley James ('06)	
Katie Parnell ('05)	

Coach: Karen Harvey
**Team Captain

Below: Left to right: Jennapher Turner, Kahla Garriss, Emily Ferrell, Jennifer Carpenter, Katie Parnell, Neta VanZwaren, Brandi Cochran, Coby Wilmer, Ashley James, Chrishawn Wagoner



Courtesy of Hollins Athletics



Above: Kahla Garriss ('05) and Emily Ferrell ('03) put tough defensive pressure on the Roanoke team to try to keep them from scoring.

Scoreboard

Opponent	Score	Opponent	Score
Bennett College	W, 73-57	Guilford	W, 62-61
College of Notre Dame	W, 76-58	Mary Baldwin	L, 74-78
Virginia Wesleyan	L, 74-102	Lynchburg	L, 52-66
Eastern Mennonite	L, 50-90	Peace	L, 75-79
Randolph Macon Woman's	W, 74-63	Roanoke	W, 67-64
Bennett	W, 89-70	Emory & Henry	L, 63-78
Randolph-Macon	L, 62-72	Randolph Macon Woman's	W, 70-58 (OT)
Guilford College	L, 54-72	Bridgewater	L, 53-68
Washington & Lee	W, 63-48	Virginia Wesleyan	L, 59-65
Roanoke	L, 53-66	Randolph Macon	L, 59-76
Lynchburg	W, 61-59	Eastern Mennonite	L, 56-77
Bridgewater	L, 68-80	Emory & Henry	L, 54-64
Washington & Lee	W, 52-44	ODAC Quarter Finals:	
		Guilford College	L, 57-67



Courtesy of Hollins Athletics

Left: Hollins swimmers warm up with their kickboards. **Above:** A swimmer backstrokes powerfully through the water. **Below Left:** The camera gets up close and personal with a swimmer as she races by. **Below Right:** Sarah Gerber ('05) does some arm stretches in the water to get loosened up.



Courtesy of Hollins Athletics

Team Roster

Samantha Anderson ('05)	Jessica McEwan ('04)
Sarah Burns ('05)	Kayte Neas ('06)
Julie Christensen ('04)	Laura Orcutt ('03)**
Emily Daniels ('06)	Sarah Parkington ('06)
Sarah Gerber ('05)	Samantha Payne ('05)
Alyssa Galinaitis ('06)	Julie Tucker ('03)**
Meghan Malone ('03)	Marly Wilson ('06)
Cate McNulty ('06)	Kat Youngren ('03)
Sarah McClurg ('04)	

Coach: Aaron Workman
**Team Captain

Below: Left to right: First row: Jess McEwan, ??, Samantha Payne, Laura Orcutt, ???, Cate McNulty. Second Row: Emily Daniels, Sarah McClurg, Sarah Burns, Sarah Gerber, Samantha Anderson, ???



Courtesy of Hollins Athletics



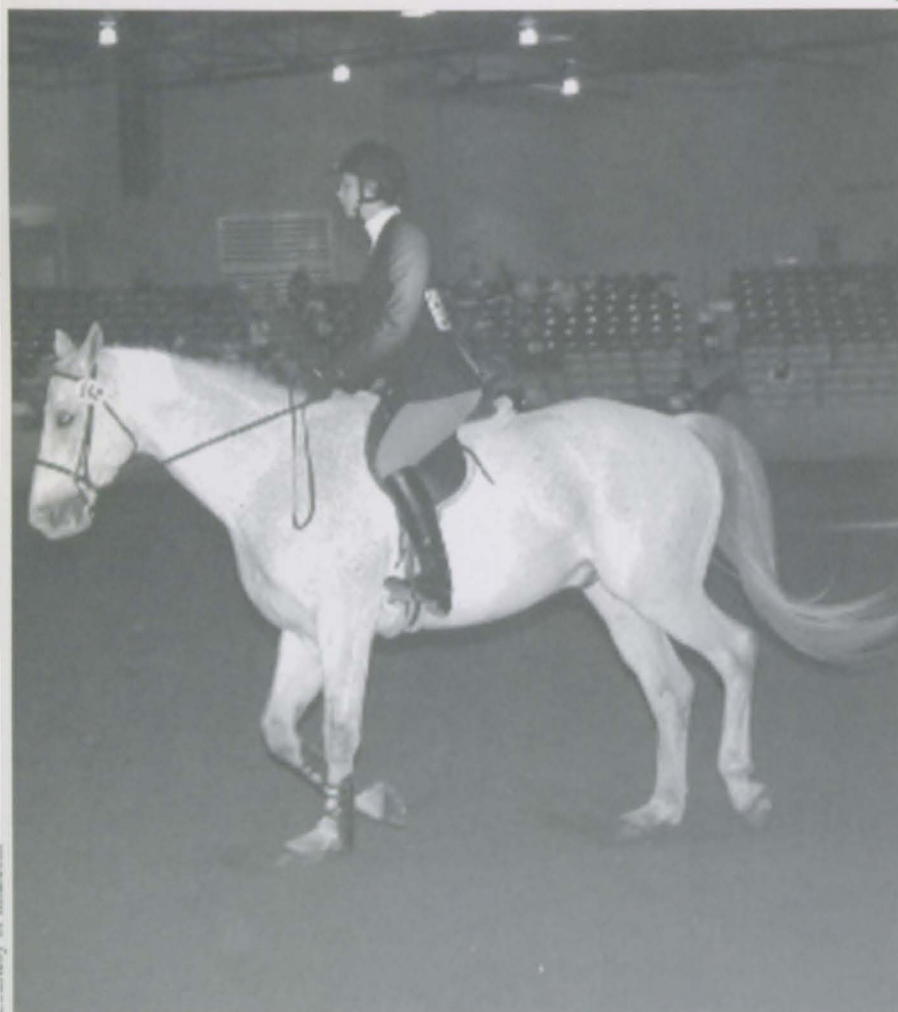
Above: Look! An UFS (that would be Unidentified Flying Swimmer)! A member of the swim team launches herself off of the starting blocks.

Scoreboard

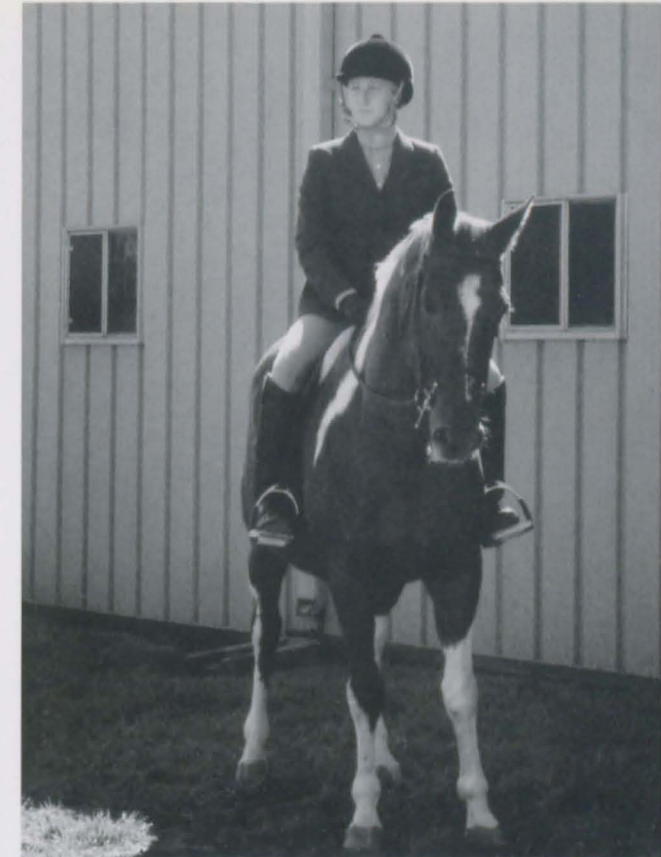
Opponent	Score
Bennett College	W, 73-57
Randolph-Macon	L, 166-81
Randolph Macon Woman's	L, 45-77
Sweet Briar	W, 105-56
Washington & Lee	L, 176-81
College of Notre Dame	L, 68-54
Hood	W, 104-87
Greensboro	W, 101-79
RMWC	L, 87-101
Sweet Briar	L, 73-131



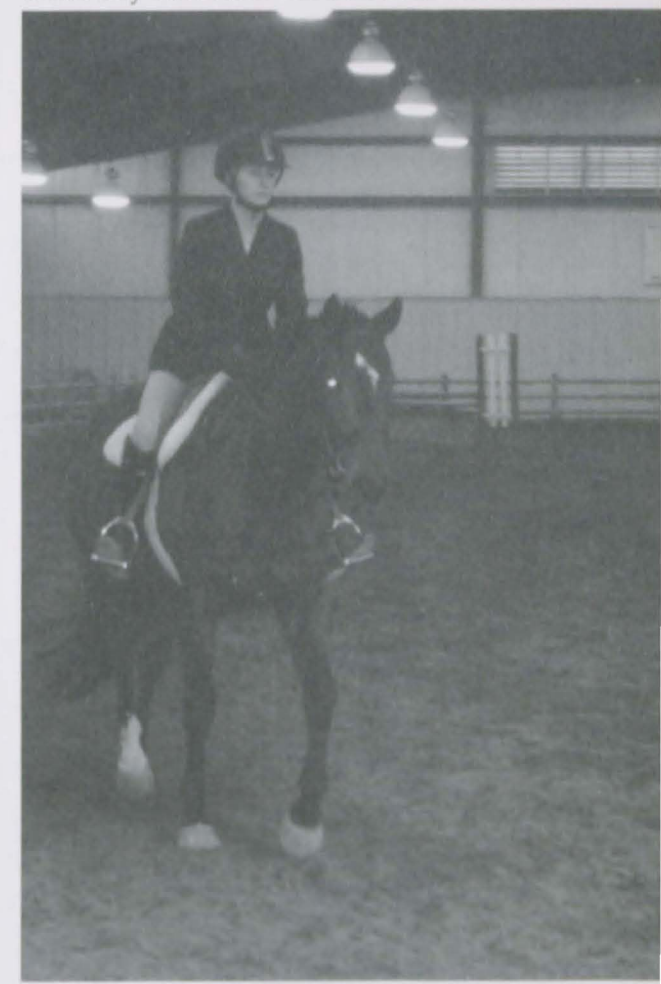
Left: Allison Crisher ('06) mentally prepares for her class before entering the ring at the Hollins Fall IHSA show. **Above:** Riding Club president Lizzy Benchoff ('04) discusses horse assignments with Jenny Flora ('04) while Jessica Culver ('05) looks on. Thanks to the great organization of Lizzy and co-president Jess Parker ('03), the IHSA shows this year went more smoothly than ever! **Below Left:** Tara Kelly ('03) focuses during her class at Nationals, where she went on to capture fourth place in the nation in Intermediate on the Flat. **Below Right:** Jess Parker ('03) competes on Bella Lagossi during the Hollins Spring In-House show.



Above: Sophomores Lauren Smith, Kristin Polich, Kristen Carmichel, and Taylor Bidwell watch their friends compete at the Hollins Fall In-House Show. **Below:** Jenny Flora ('04), Vanessa Carter ('04), and A.E. Thornlow ('03) have a laugh while discussing their courses at the Spring In-House Show.



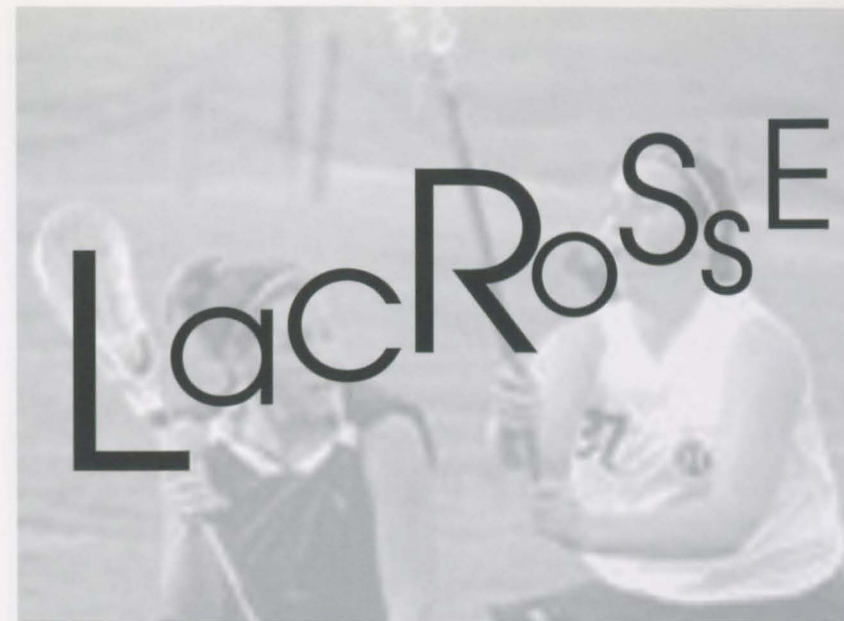
Above: Amy Fitzwater ('03) and her horse Watts wait for their turn in the ring. **Below:** Chelsea Groggins ('04) warming up on Killington at the Hollins Spring In-House Show where they went on to win their class over fences.





Courtesy of Hollins Athletics

Left: Amy Fitzwater ('05) gets ready for whatever might come from the opposing offense. **Above:** Assal Assadi ('03) and Amanda Bartkowiak ('05) puts the defensive pressure on! **Below Left:** Amanda Bartkowiak ('05) makes a key ground ball pick up in order to clear the ball from around the Hollins goal. **Below Right:** Hannah Huber ('03) sets a plan in motion in order to score.



Team Roster

Assal Assadi ('03)	Sarah Herbolzheimer ('03)
Amanda Bartkowiak ('05)	Hannah Huber ('03)
Cathy Callahan ('06)	Frances Wood ('03)
Anna Copplestone ('06)	Erika Langsjoen ('06)
Amy Fitzwater ('05)	Clara Lemyre ('06)
Annie Fulk ('03)	Colleen O'Brien ('03)
Sarah Garcia-Gordon ('06)	Frazier Sizemore ('03)
Megan Green ('06)	Cesely Smith ('06)
Mary Bryan Haltermann ('06)	

Coach: Rachel Cress

Below: Cathy Callahan ('03) picks up the ball mid-field and begins her drive for the goal.



Above: Amanda Bartkowiak ('05), one of the top defensive players this year, guards a Ferrum player closely.

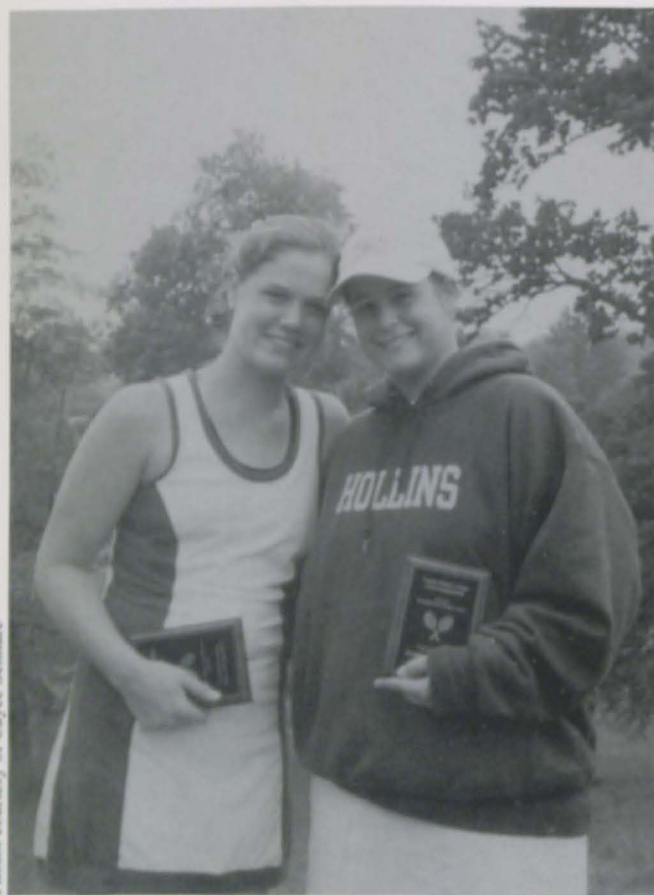
Scoreboard

Opponent	Score
Greensboro	L, 2-20
Randolph Macon - Ashland	L, 3-18
Lynchburg	L, 3-17
Virginia Wesleyan	L, 4-27
Bridgewater	W, 9-8
Washington & Lee	L, 2-18
Roanoke	L, 1-25
Averett	W, 17-4
Guilford	L, 13-15
Sweet Briar	L, 5-10
Ferrum	L, 6-12

Scoreboard

Opponent	Score
Washington & Lee	L, 0-9
Randolph Macon - Ashland	W, 9-0
Virginia Wesleyan	W, 9-0
Roanoke	W, 9-0
Eastern Mennonite	W, 8-1
Bridgewater	W, 8-1
Lynchburg	W, 9-0
SOUTHEAST REGIONAL:	
Peace	W, 8-1
Agnes Scott	W, 8-1
Meredith	W, 7-1
Emory & Henry	W, 8-1
Mary Washington	L, 7-2
Guilford	W, 9-0
Sweet Briar	W, 8-1

Above: Casey Schnare ('04) and Melissa James ('06) smile for a picture after a very successful match.



Above: The tennis team pauses for a picture at one of their recent matches. The team was very close this year, both on and off the court.

Team Roster

Alice Moss ('04)	Lindsey Bieging ('05)
Cayce Schnare ('04)	Carly Blumberg ('05)
Katherine Howard ('04)	Courtney-Ann Erwin ('06)
Bess Kelly ('04)	Melissa James ('06)
Kendra Penry ('04)	Ashlee Kneip ('06)
Margaret Hopkins ('04)	Emily Olsen ('06)
Jennifer Adkins ('05)	

Coach: Leslie Bernard

Tennis

Golf



Above: Melissa Larkin ('05) takes a deep breath before hitting one of her best drives off this tee. Despite only being a club sport this year, the golf team traveled to a number of meets against other East Coast schools where they had great success.

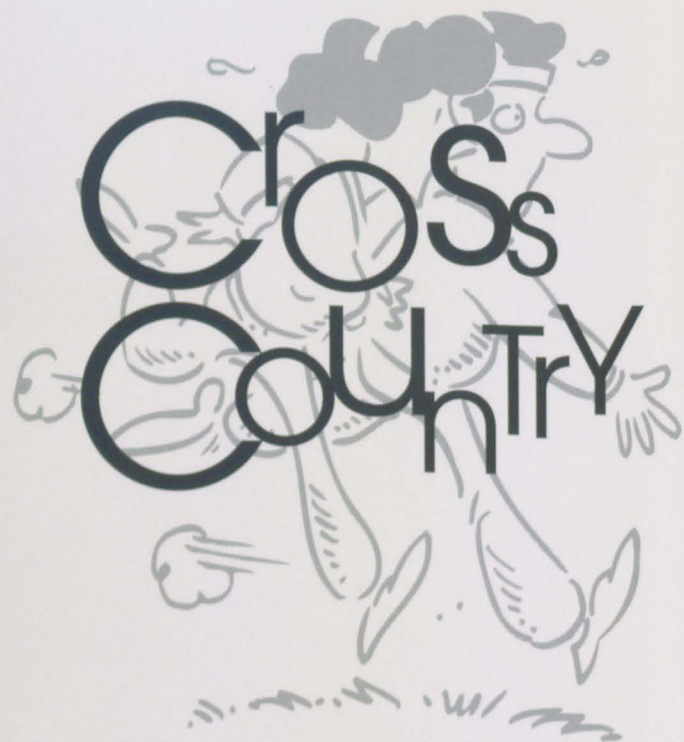


Above: Becca Jacobs ('04) takes a practice swing before chipping the ball onto the green.

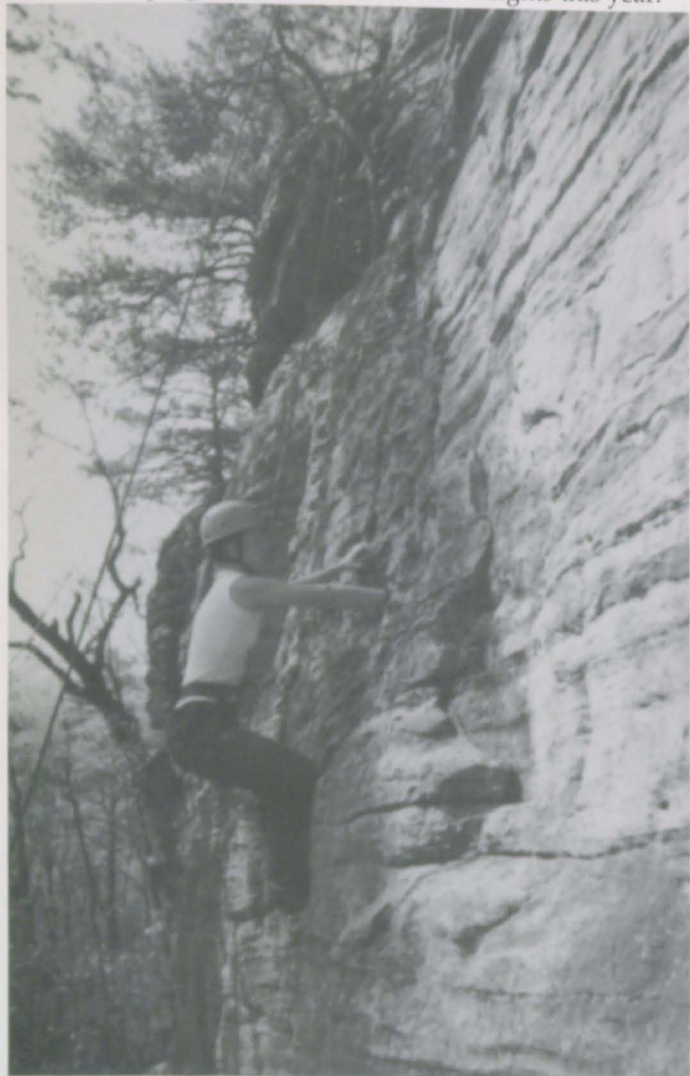
Team Roster

Zirwat Chowdhury ('05)
 Lacy Dunham ('05)
 Brooke Hunter ('03)
 Rebecca Jacobs ('04)
 Ashley James ('06)
 Melissa Larkin ('05)
 Kismet Loftin-Bell ('03)
 Reed Middlemas ('04)
 Cesely Smith ('06)
 Amy Torbert ('05)
 Katie Woolley ('03)

Coach: Lanetta Ware



Below: A HOP participant climbs confidently up a vertical rock face. Below Right: The members of HOP gather for a picture. Through the coordination of John Guy Owens, the director, the program has climbed to new heights this year.



Team Roster

Sarah-Melissa Arbaugh ('03)	Nicole Jupp ('06)
Jessika Barnes ('06)	Erin Lewallen ('03)
Brittany Basberg ('04)	Liz Lowry ('05)
Sarah Burnett ('04)	Leigh Ann Pace ('04)
Stephanie Epstein ('06)	Jessica Parker ('03)
Jennifer Gardner ('03)	Laura Salley ('06)
Becky Hawke ('05)	Alison Wilkinson ('06)
Kathryn Herndon ('05)	

Coach: Cynthia Smith

HOLINS Outdoor Program



A Day in The Life...



STEPPING STONES

to our MILESTONES

The women of Hollins have been making their mark on this small campus for 161 years. They have seen many changes. Each year, new faces appear as first years become acquainted with college life. Each year, old friends graduate, taking with them four years of memories. Students travel the world with Hollins Abroad. Sister classes have

fun socials and bonding experiences. Professors give their students knowledge and guidance, preparing them for the world ahead of them.

As the years move on, the ideas of these women change. They learn to respect each others differences and listen to one another. Hollins is a unique community of intelligent professors and 800 beautiful women.



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Elizabeth Gleim



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Georgi Fisher



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Kasey Freedman



Jessica Frick



Jennifer Gallion



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Samantha Gellar



Amanda Grose



Jennifer Hankenson



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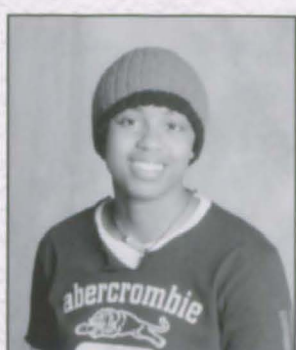
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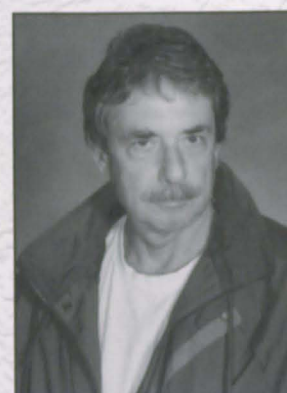
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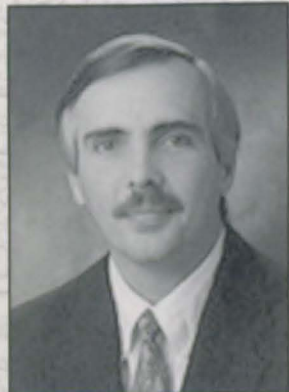
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Dean Thomas Mesner and Vice President Dr.
Wayne Markert converse over chicken on Tinker
Day.



Admissions counselors bid farewell to Hollins
students as they made their way to Tinker Moun-
tain.

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STEPPING STONES

to our MILESTONES

What would Hollins be like without our clubs? Without the choir (left) to sing at Honor's Convocation or the Hollins Columns letting us know what's up every few weeks? Don't forget SHARE, BSA, Voice, Outloud, SGA, SRLA, Foundation 42, WA², French Club, and, of course, the Spinster, not to mention the many others. Extra-curricular activities make campus life even more interesting!

Some people choose to join clubs because they want to be more involved with school, others choose to join clubs because of an interest

they have, maybe out of curiosity, or perhaps because being in clubs is fun! Whatever happens to be your reason for joining a club or organization, or not joining, it's probably a good one.

If there's not a club or organization that you're interested in joining, you can always start one if you have a particular interest that's not already represented. Clubs are part of life at Hollins. They bring us closer together, they entertain us. They're one more piece of the step that takes us to and beyond the milestone.

SGA



Row 1: Casey Hollins (03), Gwen Fernandez (06), Bevin Valentine (03), Emily Schiller (03), Katie Woolly (03). Row 2: Ashley Reynolds (04), Jessica King (04), Brooke Hunter (03), Virginia Callegary (03), Amanda Furgiuele (05), Jacqueline Kennedy (03), Alisha Tucker (04). Row 3: Kismet Loftin-Bell (03), Nicole Oxendine (03), Tiffany Hamby (03), Corinne Everett (06), Ellen Pactor (06).

SGA



At the weekly roundtable meetings, SGA members discuss issues facing Hollins.

Getting the Job Done

The Student Government Association is the basis for all student affairs on campus. It gives students a forum to discuss issues and a feasible way to resolve problems. Every student at Hollins University is a member of SGA. For that reason, the officers, council members, and senators work together to develop policies and give each student a voice in what is happening around campus. SGA funds almost every Hollins event and publication. Their committees protect the honor code, provide a student run justice system, and administer exams through the independent exam system. SGA is a crucial element to life at Hollins. Without it, students would struggle to find their voice.

FOUNDATION 42



Row 1: Theresa Skurski ('06), Molly Knudsen ('04), Stacey Soltoff ('05). Row 2: Jessica Kindler ('06), Annmarie Curtis ('03).



Deanna Jackson ('06), Jessica Jones ('06), Michele Cappamaggio ('04), Amy S('06), Lynn Hilgar ('05), Jessica Kindler ('06), and AnnMarie Curtis ('03) are dudded out in their Tinker Day garb.

W2A2



Row 1: Deanna Jackson ('06), Jessica Jones ('06), Jessica Kindler ('06), Lynn Hilgar ('05), Elaine Briney ('06), Michele Capamaggio ('04), Jennifer Gallion ('04).



Many a late night were spent doing Dance Dance Revolution. Here Elaine Briney ('06) shows Belinda Davis ('06) and Jessica Kindler ('06) how it's done.

BSA

The Black Student Alliance is a powerful force to be reckon with. Between community service, fundraisers, and the best parties, these ladies have had quite a busy year. The main function of the BSA is to promote diversity and cultural awareness on campus. Other events include several parties, three poetry slams, and sold Nalgene bottles and tote bags. Also this year, the girls went to their first conference held at Penn State. Wrapping up this year, BSA held it's first annual fashion show, which was a smashing success.



Benita Bobo and GeLynn Thompson sell the BSA designed T-shirts that say "We don't need men at Hollins... We've got yours". The T-shirts were a popular fundraiser for the BSA.



Nicole Oxendine('03) heats things up at a BSA Melt the Mic poetry slam.

SHARE



Row 1: Rachel Chandler('04), Casey Hollins ('03), Bonnie Ellman ('05), Alisha Tucker ('04) Row 2: Lauren Clemence ('04), Loey Crooks ('04), Jacyln Anna ('05), Laurie Grove('04).



Share Co-Chair, Alisha Tucker('04), explains the next event of the Share Olympiad.

SHARE, the community service organization, played an important role on the Hollins Campus. Each year, SHARE sponsors the Day of Service, where first year students are given the opportunity to discover different service projects that are available in the Roanoke Community. SHARE also is responsible for the creation of the SHARE Olympiad. In its second year, the Olympiad raised \$500 to benefit the RAM House soup kitchen. Members of SHARE perform a large number of community service projects throughout the year all across the Roanoke Valley. The United Way Campaign at Hollins was successful all because SHARE gave a great deal of time to the effort.

HCF..

HCF and SRLA are the two major groups on campus devoted to spiritual life at Hollins.

SRLA, the Student Religious Life Association is responsible for the traditional White Gift Service held every year, where donations are made to local, national, and international charities. Also, they sponsor the Golden Rule dinner every semester. Students are served bread and soup for dinner so the extra money can be used to feed other people in need. SRLA consists of students from all religious backgrounds, and



Row 1: Jonathan Harris, Amanda Range ('05), Venita Gresham ('03), Natalie Cline (Baptist Campus Minister). Row 2: Christina Rock ('06), Kari Brown ('03), Grace Mahin ('06). Row 3: Sarah Parkington ('06), Sarah Harpe ('05), Mandy Sheets ('03), Amanda Coody ('04), Anne Lundquist ('03), Carrie Hughes ('04), Sarah Watkins ('04).



At an HCF meeting, Sarah Parkington('06) and Amanda Range('05) have a discussion that makes Venita Gresham('03) roll on the floor with laughter.

and SRLA



Hillary Major and Kari Brown ('03) serve soup and bread for the SRLA Golden Rule Dinner.



For Valentine's Day, HCF members help sell chocolate roses and candy pots. What a sweet deal!

works to educate and inform students of all religions.

HCF, the Hollins Christian Fellowship, works alongside SRLA in many of these events. HCF is an organization composed of Christians from all denominations. They hold discussions pertaining to all forms of religious events occurring and their significance to college students.

ADA

ADA is an organization that most people on campus do not know much about. However, ADA does play an important role in various events around campus. Each year, ADA sponsors the blood drive to support the American Red Cross. The blood drive held in Tayloe Gym was successful as usual. In addition to this, ADA acts as a spirit squad, cheering and participating in sporting events, as well as playing the role of announcers during lunch on Tuesdays. They give the weekly update of events around the Hollins Campus for everyone to attend.



Fall SPUDS get ready to perform a skit

Sally Beazlie and Rosalina Leoncio ('04) wear purple after being named SPUDS on Tinker Day.



HRDC



Row 1: Vanessa Fassie, Ashley Anderson (06), Kimmy Dokes (06), Jillian Pena (03), Erika Hand (03), Danielle Paloumpis (05), Elizabeth Sackett (05). Row 2: Jennifer McGinnis (05), Meredith Glisson (05), Amy Frost (04), Emily Wexler (04), Sara Beth Higgins (03), Susan Honer (04), Bri Smith (05), Ann Liv Young (04), Carrington Kilduff (03).

HRDC rehearses on front quad for the Spring Gathering.



HRDC, The Hollins Repertory Dance Company, is a group of talented artists, working together to choreograph and perform dance pieces. Each semester, HRDC holds the Dance Gathering. This fall, the event was held at the Jefferson Center, attracting not only Hollins students, but as well as the general public. HRDC hosted numerous guest artists and choreographers who performed along side the HRDC dancers. HRDC also attended workshops in New York City over J-term, as well as attended the American Dance Festival. HRDC uses movement and dance to promote creative expression at Hollins.

VOICE

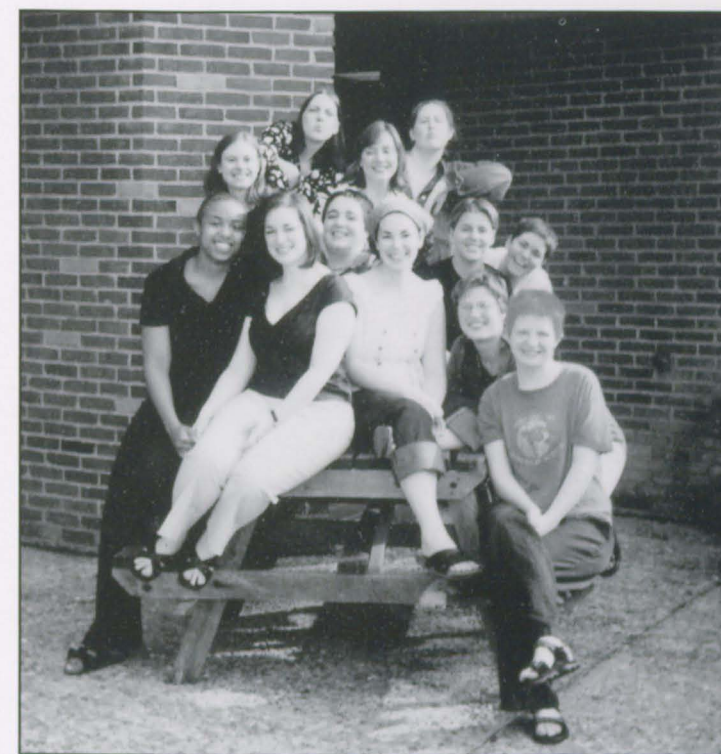


Row 1: Hilary DuBose (05). Row 2: Meredith Harper (06), Laura Orcutt (03). Row 3: Jen Morgan (06), Christina Hicks(04), Frankie Keller(04), April Seymore (05), Kathryn Herndon (05), Sonya Coleman(06), Janet Lubas (05), BonnieEllman(05), Alexis Hair (06).



First year Elaine Briney represents VOICE at the Clubs fair. She was also the SGA representative for the club this year.

OUTLOUD



Row1: Aheri Stanford-Asiyo (05), Carolyn Whitton (05), Meaghan Overton (05), Rachel Stevens (05) Row 2: Meredith Harper (06), Christina King (04), Hilary DuBose (05), Laura Orcutt (03). Row 3: April Seymore (05), Mary Beth Blakey (05), Amanda Schideler (05).



Greg Christopher dresses in Drag for the Annual Drag Show sponsored by OUTloud.

French Club



Row 1: Ashley Wilkinson (05), Emily Watson ('03), Kasey Skeen ('03), Heather Latiolais (05), Cathy Callahan (03).
Row 2: Erin Pettigrew (03), Lillian Gould ('03).



The girls of the French club enjoying some coffee and refreshments at the Maisson Cafe.





STEPPING STONES

to our MILESTONES

Seniors OH Seniors...

Do you remember Ulf?

or the way Moody used to be?

*Do you remember Tinker, floors A,
B, and C?*

*Do you remember professors, and
the wisdom you learned?*

*Do you remember all of your hard
work, behind the degrees that you
earned?*

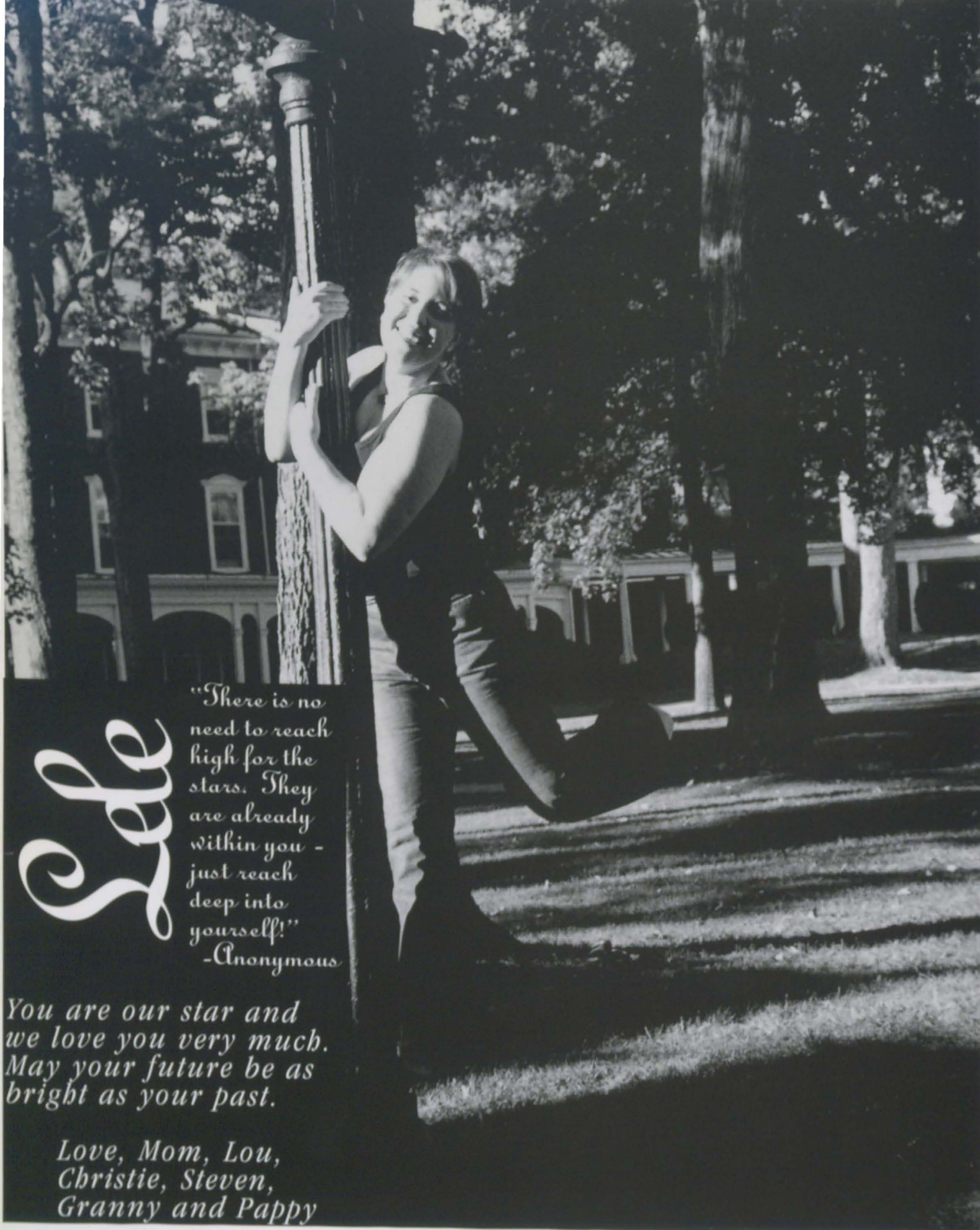
*Do you remember your friends
And how you've changed each
other's lives?*

Do you remember the laughs?

Do you remember the tears?

*All I ask of you dear Seniors, is to
keep these memories close
These four years may have felt
short, but with Hollins, you have
grown.*

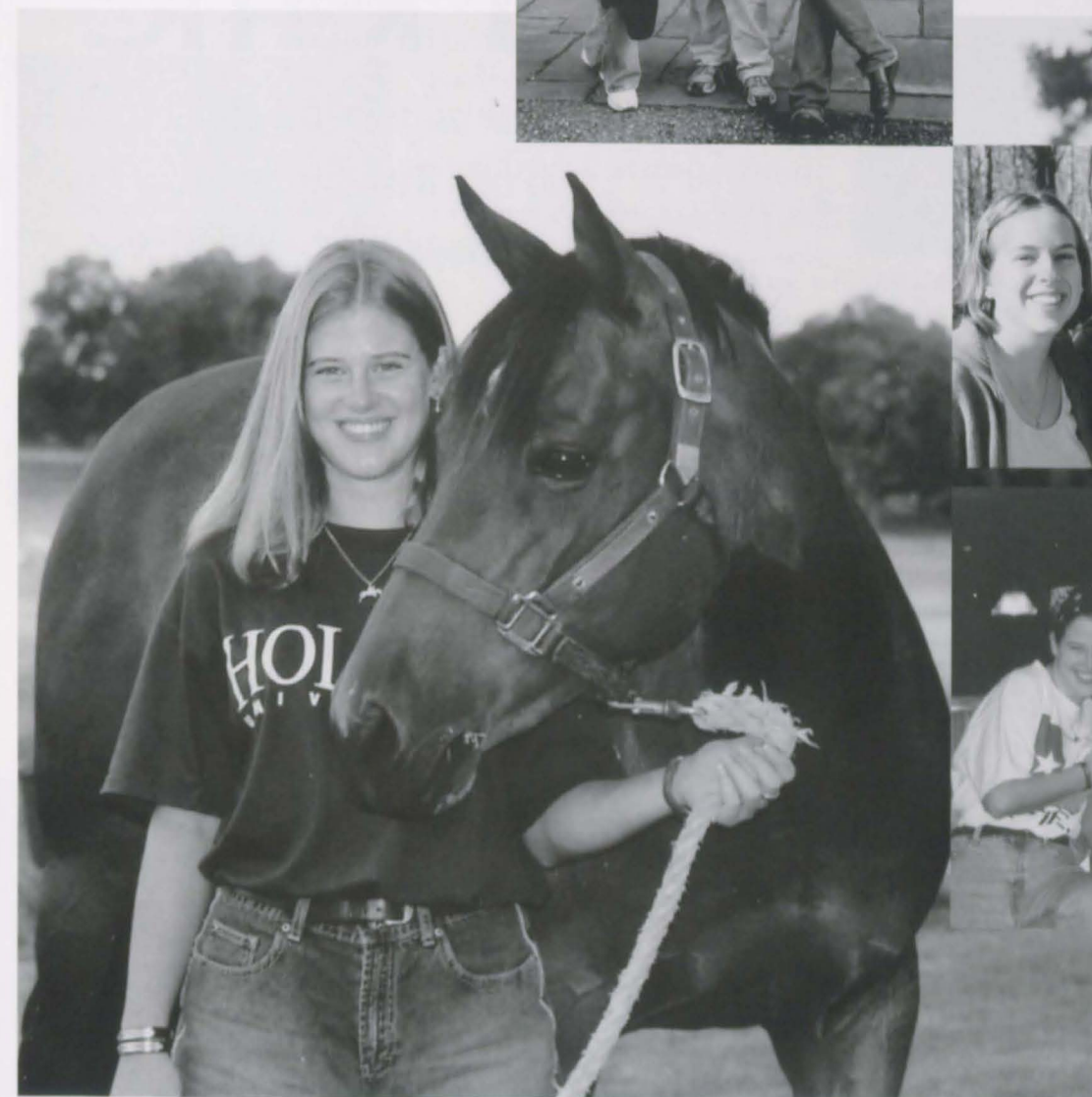
SENIOR
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*"There is no
need to reach
high for the
stars. They
are already
within you -
just reach
deep into
yourself!"
-Anonymous*

*You are our star and
we love you very much.
May your future be as
bright as your past.*

*Love, Mom, Lou,
Christie, Steven,
Granny and Pappy*



Congratulations to Whitney and Sweetheart

on their graduation from Hollins, the perfect place for such a fine pair.
May your upcoming break from the gate and run for the roses be a great one!

Much love, Mom, Dad, Damon, Kyle, KC and Ozzie

Congrats Jacq! The Journey Continues

Lennon's wife Yono? You mean Yoko? Oh no.
~Dad

Jackie JackieO Strap Wak



Jack Strap J1 JWE

You are a remarkable example of all a daughter can be - loving and kind, beautiful and good, honest and principled, determined and independent, intelligent and accomplished, funny and wise! We couldn't be more proud. And we're blessed beyond words.

Our love always,
Mom and Dad
Jeremiah 29:11-14

Will it matter in five years?

~Mom

Sheme



For all you are, and ever hope to be. We wish for you a lifetime of happiness. We are so very proud of you.

Love, Mom, Dad, Billy, Jenny and Jeffery

shoshana, Katie,

Congratulations. From elementary school to college we've watched you grow. We're proud of you and wish you continued success.

Love, Mom, Dad, Dennis, Grandpa and Nana Taylor



You have made us forever proud; your success can never be taken from you. May God continue to bless your efforts and keep you safe.
Love, Dad and Mom

CONGRATULATIONS Lisa



One of life's greatest Joys is having you in our family. Watching you grow, change, challenge yourself, and develop your talents is something we are truly proud of. You have become a beautiful young woman of character and compassion, never afraid to stand up for what is right.

Our wish for you is a life as full of joy and love as you have given us.

Much love,
Mom and Dad



CONGRATULATIONS LESLIE!

THANK HEAVENS FOR A SWEET CAROLINA GIRL! YOU WANTED TO BE A HOLLINS WOMAN! YOU HAVE WORKED HARD, DONE THE RIGHT THINGS AND YOUR DREAM HAS COME TRUE. CONTINUE TO REACH FOR YOUR DREAMS. MAY GOD CONTINUE TO BLESS YOU. WE LOVE YOU ALWAYS!
JESS & ART, DAD

Blair

You have grown into a thoughtful, caring young woman. We are so proud of you and we love you very much. Never be afraid to follow your dreams and always remember to stay positive and be happy.

Love, Mom and Dad



Katie

Our most precious daughter, you've done it again! We're so proud of you. Godspeed.

*Love, Mom, Dad and Cliff
(P.S. the FROGS still rock!)*



Erica Ann Feiste



*Through teardrops and laughter we'll walk through this world
hand in hand.*



Ashleigh Rae

You "swept" our hearts away,
With every passing day,
From your first infant cry
That made tears in our eyes.
We have witnessed the blessing
Of your precious life...expressing
Energy, Will and Determination
To focus on your college degree and...Graduation!
With all our love and pride, Mom, Dad and Megan



MELISSA BENNETT

Congratulations to our wonderful young lady! As you conclude your college journey, you stand on the threshold of your dreams. We wish you a life of love, happiness and success.

With all our love,
MOM, DAD AND STEPHANIE

JESSIE DETTERLINE

Jessie,
*You came to us as a gift
and grew into a treasure.*



Love,
MOM & DAD

Michelle

You amazed us by moving from California to Virginia; from Paris to Asia you've roamed the world. Now, we are so proud of you as you graduate - the first in our family to have a B.A. We will forever be proud and amazed by you.
Lovingly, Mom, Dad and Ky



Congratulations Melissa!



We love you and we are extremely proud of you.
Congratulations on all your accomplishments.

Love, Dad, Mom and Jimmy



Brianne means strong. You have stayed strong and focused for four years: business entrepreneur, horse-woman extraordinaire, college graduate. Congratulations! Love, Mom, Dad, Pat, Megan, Grandma, Aunt Mealy and Aunt Kathy

"Whatever you can do or dream you can, begin it. **Boldness has genius, power and magic in it.** Begin it Now." -Goethe



*F*razier,
Wherever your dreams take you, always remember, you are wonderful, and you are loved.
Dad, Mom, Anna, Julian, Janie and Mary Grace

isabel



We love you...
im-

mensely!
We are so

proud of you.

Dance on, Spirit
(only if you must),

Mom, Ligia, Sarah, Georgie and Dad

Kristin



We knew you could do it! You've grown so much in these four years. This is just the beginning and we know you'll have a life of countless adventures with interesting people. We love you, Mom, Dad, Kara, Kylee and Kevin

Patricia Gloria



On the day that you were born, the angels got together and made a dream come true. From the moment you were born you were special. You have made us proud. You have overcome obstacles and reached your goal. Follow your dreams for they will come true. Be yourself. Congratulations on this special day. We love you, Mom, Grandma Jo, Grandma Ev and Joseph

annezettle



*Congratulations to our talented daughter.
You bring us so much joy and beauty.
Love Mom and Dad*

Lindsey FITTS

Who shares love and laughter
Who dreams and dares
And touches the world
With her own special magic.
For all that you are
And all that you've become
We are so very proud of you!

Love, Mom and Dad



Congratulations Blair!

How the years have passed! It was like yesterday we found your room in Tinker and hauled computer, clothes and everything else to your tiny, lonely looking room. We cried, and you were looking forward to those precious tradition-filled years. Now it is time for you to live your dream - and you are ready:

*"Sail on silver girl, sail on by -
Your time has come to shine,
All your dreams are on their way -"*

Your internal joy and light draws all of us to you, as plants to the sun. We bask in your glow - we pray that our first born girl continues to bloom. You will continue to grow in spirit and love, caring and in goodness to others.

We are the lucky ones: we see your happiness. Love life, because life loves *you*. The world is yours.

Thank you for being such a wonderful daughter. Remember Mom and Daddy will always be here for you. We promise. Oh, and that great brother of yours as well - and he *is* a good friend, too. We all love you and respect you - a real blessing.

Always, Mom, Dad and Bailey
2003, Hollins University

Congratulations Kate

*Love and hugs, Mom,
Dad, Mari Allan,
Todd and Lizzie*



Blair

May you always have an angel by your
side,
Encouraging your dreams and finding
ways for your wishes and dreams and
creative spirit to take you to beautiful
places,
Giving you the strength of serenity as
your guide,
Inspiring your happiness.

May you have rainbows after every
storm.
May you have hopes to keep you warm.
And may you always have an angel by
your side.
Thank you for blessing our lives in so
many ways. We thank God for you.
Love, Mom & Dad



Rose

I am so very proud of you. May all
your hopes and dreams come true.
Love, Dad

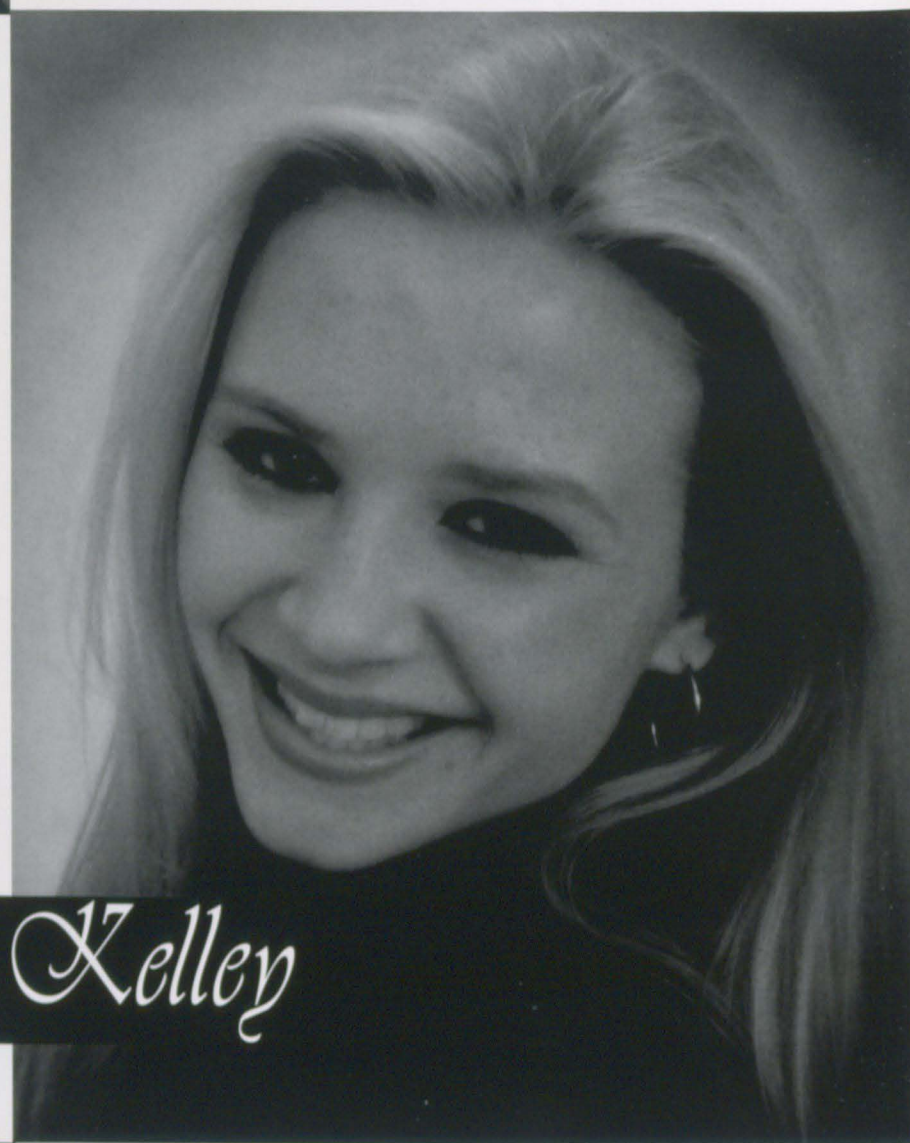


I'm so proud of you! -Dad

Kell, it's been a fun trip...now you have to go to work! Love, Mom

Way to go Kell - you're smarter than I thought! - Corey

Kelley - you're the bestest sister ever. I'm very proud and I "luf" you. -Kara



CONGRATULATIONS *Kelley*



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STEPPING STONES

to our MILESTONES

The 2002-2003 academic year was one of change. New underclassmen, new classes, new president, new goals, new challeges, through it all, the Hollins spirit remained the same.

Each day was a stepping stone, full of learning and self-discovery. Times spent at Hollins gave each woman to enter the knowledge and strength in preperation for adventures to come after.

Each acheivement was a milestone, no matter how great or small. From the first day of classes, to graduation, Hollins played an important role in shaping the future of each woman to grace its campus. And hopefully, fond memories were created every step along the way.



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Sincerely,
Amanda Aasheim
editor-in-chief, *Spinster*

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Amanda Aasheim
editor in chief



Well, I would like to take this chance to give thanks to those who helped me personally with this book. Amy and Lorrie, who are absolutely amazing. Without their help, this book would have never been finished...literally. PZ, Alison Ridley, and Tom Mesner, for the words of support. And my friends, family, and Christopher, for being there for me, and giving a sympathetic ear, no matter what.

Amy Torbert
Sports

By the time this book is published, Amy will be in Paris. However, as her editor and Ring Sister, I would like to say just how amazing she is. Admissions Ambassador, Batten Leader, Writing Center Tutor, SPINSTER, the list goes on. Each activity she does with a smile and enthusiasm rarely found anywhere else. Her achievements continue to amaze me, and I know I will never meet anyone as truly wonderful as she.





